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Richmond's Wonderful Record of Growth Beats All Competitors

Hurrah for the Third and Fourth

The meeting of the old and the new will be the nature of the big two days Fourth of July celebration here. The Mayor says, "Get out your guns, boys. Anything will be all right so long as it doesn't have bullets in it." The firecracker ordinance will be off, and a good old time, insane Fourth will be held. Coupled with the old, will be many new stunts in pyrotechnics, street parades, Mardi Gras balls, etc., that will astound and delight the people of Richmond and the thousands of visitors.

At the meeting of the committees for the celebration held in Lincoln auditorium last night, preliminary arrangements for a barbecue, races, games, baseball matches dances and lots of music were made. Many new features of Fourth of July celebrations were talked over and will probably be includea in the program ,as a surprise to the good people of Richmond.

That all arrangements for the big affair are in excellent and capable hands can be seen by persusal of the following revised list of the committees:

Finance—W. E. Ballenger, I. R. Vaughn, H. W. Wernse, J. A. McVittie, H. Wahl, Martin Kelly, Charles G. Yonce, Auty Duggan Harry Pulse, John A. Long, S. W. Barnes, Harry Ells.

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Program—D. J. Hull, Rev. Frank Lauer, Rev. T. A. Boyer, W. F. Petillon, and Fred Neville.

Decoration—C. M. Brewer, A. C. Trautvetter, Levi Boswell, D. J. Collins, H. G. Biggs.

Parade—L. Wierda, H. D. Chapman, Roy Lemoin, Ernest Griffin, C. J. Crary.

Entertainment—A. C. Burdick, Al Hill, A. M. Downer, W. A. LaSelle.

Fireworks—Dr. C. R. Blake, J. G. Gerlach, O. R. Ludewig, G. A. Follett, Henry Olsen.

Dance—W. L. Lane, Harry Gordon, R. A. Rogers, Frank Dunster, J. Whalen.

Baseball—W. E. Luce, V. A. Fenher, Alex Elsie, J. W. Dietrich, Wm. Picton.

Marshall—R. R. Veale; Aides—W. T. Helms, Chas. H. Walker, E. M. Downer, T. D. Johnston, J. E. Moitoza, Harry Hammond, E. B. Anderson.

Lodges—R. H. Curry, D. S. DeLaney, I. E. Marshall, Herman Tulley, Jack Best.

Float—J. F. Brooks, Geo. Rolph, (Crockett), Warren H. McBryde, E. M. Tilden, Chas. Swartout, C. F. Beck.

LADIES:

Entertainment—Mrs. J. G. Gerlach, Mrs. F. C. Schram, Mrs. W. w. Felch, Mrs. L. L. Farrell, Mrs. Roy Lemoin.

Prizes—Mrs. F. C. Schram, Mrs. Lee Adams, Mrs. C. S. Gibson, Mrs. Leona Trautvetter, Mrs. Theo Iverson.

The following resolution introduced by the Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, J. A. Long, was received with much applause, and unanimously carried:

WHERAS:—A Fourth of July celebration will be held in the City of Richmond this year, and

WHEREAS:—The people of This city will be asked to provide, through its public bodies and individuals, the funds necessary to promote such celebration.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: That any and all committees handling the funds of said celebration be, and are hereby instructed to make all the purchases necessary for such celebration, directly from, or through the merchants of this city.

"Blind Jim" Has more Bad Luck

What Richmond pioneer has not in the days of muddy Macdonald, the days before the subway, and in the days of East Short Surburban R. R. purchased a bag of peanuts or a pack of chewing gum of old "Blind Jim," at the county line, at which place, in those days, a change from the red Richmond cars to the yellow monsters of the Oakland Traction company was made.

Few but knew of the heart breaking plight of Jim, and all sympathized with him, for Jim's nature is one which always makes the best of a bad condition.

With the consolidation of the transportation systems Richmonders have lost track of Jim, and Jim has lost their patronage, on this account.

"It never rains, but that it pours." And Jim was out without any umbrella.

But a few weeks since as Blind Jim was feeling his way about his duties in his tiny box-store, he stepped on an upright rusty nail. Amputation followed blood poisoning, and "Blind Jim" will be forced to cease business until the healing of his stump is complete.

A dance will be given for the benefit of "Blind Jim" by the sympathizing women of Rust, at Davis Hall, Rust on the evening of May 20. Mrs. Anna E. Wilson is in charge of the benefit, and will receive any donations for Blind Jim.

INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION MEETS

The News scribe is bound to get foundered. Next day after getting outside of the C. of C. luncheon we braved the swell menu of the Portola-Louvre cafe in San Francisco, yesterday, with the members of the Richmond Industrial Commission. They discussed all the big moves now on for Richmond and told of some mighty good things which are not yet ripe for publication. Incidently they indorsed the movement to give Richmond work to Richmond men, and asked the local Chamber of Commerce to appoint a committee to keep on that job continuously. The meeting was large and enthusiastic.

Million Dollars a Month Payroll $20,000,000 Assessed Valuation 23,000 New People In Only Ten Years.

The Martinez Gazette has issued what it calls its Development Number, the same being a large illustrated magazine devoted to all parts of Contra Costa county. It is a very fine piece of work and 100,000 of them ought to be sent broadcast all over the east by all the people of the county. In it we find the following very interesting data regarding the city of Richmond.

Contra Costa county is the favored one of the San Francisco Bay counties from the standpoint of location and development of the oil industry. The business here was new a few years ago, when the Standard Oil Company bought hundreds of acres at what is now Richmond, and began the construction of one of the largest oil refineries in the world. The Union, Associated, Shell and other oil companies have located along the bay shore in the meantime.

What has made the Richmond of today possible is its strategic location, resulting in the location of a number of great industries.

Immediately following the action of the Standard Oil Company, manufacturers in other places turned their eyes toward the city of the Standard's choice. Investigation revealed every desirable factor for the manufacturer. Cheap power, cheap fuel, best of transportation facilities and desirable labor conditions has won many to these industrial concerns, with the result that the pay roll of Richmond today amounts to the stupendous sum of $800,000 a month.

In 1900 Richmond possessed about 100 people. The assessment list was almost nil. Of Contra Costa County's assessment for 1915 amounting to $48,000,000, it is interesting to note that sixteen and a quarter millions of this are represented in Richmond alone. That the great development of the county is on the bay shore is proved by the fact that the assessment of the bay short section amounts to $25,000,000, or over one-half the total assessment of the county.

Richmond's pay roll, or a grand total of $432,000 more each year. When the average city wins an industry that employs even 100 men it considers the occasion worthy of great celebration. But Richmond has progressed beyond that stage. The establishement of new industries, employing hundreds of men, and the expansion of the industries already here, is taken as a matter of course in the development of this great industrial city.

From what was virtually a field of hay ten years ago, with no real assessed valuation, to a metropolis of 23,000 population, carrying this big assessment, and forging ahead at a rapid pace, is the record of this favored city.

It is announced that the Pullman plant is now employing 400 additional men, who will be regularly retained. The mere statement "400 men" doesn't imply much, but consider that 400 men at $90 a month each adds a total of $36,000 per month to the local payroll, running it up close to the phenomenal sum of a million a month.

New industries are constantly locating in Richmond. The eyes of the manufacturers of the country are upon this city. Innumerable factors necessary to the development of a great commercial and industrial city enter into the make-up of the community. The erection of municipal wharves development of an inner harbor, and the Belt Line Railroad are considerations which win for this city more than passing interest. Neither is its deep-frontage to be overlooked, but is one of the most important factors among its many assets.

Six miles of natural deep-water frontage makes for a phase in Richmond's make-up that is particularly alluring to the investment of big money.

At a recent meeting of city planners held in Chicago, considerable time and discussion was given to the basic factors in the development of cities. Among a number of cities of the country cited was Richmond which was termed a phenomenal industrial community.

It was pointed out that four factors are requisite in the development of a really live city, viz: location, transportation, transportation by water, and manufacturing industries. Further that a city could exist on any one of these, but the ideal combination is the one in which all of these factors enter into the make-up of a city. There are few cities in the United States where all these factors are combined, and notable among them is the city of Richmond.

In an address before the convention, a well known city planner stated that he had made a study of the City of Richmond, and found that it is the terminal of three great transcontinental railroads, has a large deep-water harbor, where ships and rails meet, is filled with manufacturing industries, and, in every sense of the word, is strategically located.

Richmond today possesses the facilities necessary to make it the greatest railroad center on the Pacific Coast. It is probable that manufacturers, wholesalers and jobbers of other cities of the San Francisco Bay district will realize the great saving to be made in placing the bast of their operations where practically no freight handling is required. The development of the waterfront and the construction of great wharves will ultimately evolve the waterfront into a great transfer and distribution point on a par with, or perhaps more efficient, than the Bush Terminals of New York.

Harbor Work To Commence

Let joy be unconfined! Let's all throw up our hats and give three cheers! Actual work on the great Richmond Harbor is to commence very soon and about a quarter of a million dollars is to be put into local circulation! Wow! Hurrah!

All the details and preliminaries which have been retarding the work have been arranged and settled, between the city council and the Bay Counties Land company, and the agreement is to be accepted and ratified at the meeting of the council next Monday evening, after which work will be ordered commenced.

The labor is to be done by local men and it will be a big boost generally all over the city, because of the large amount of money to be thus put into local circulation.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE LUNCHEON

The Booster luncheon given by the Chamber of Commerce at noon Wednesday was attended by about a hundred live-wires from Richmond, Oakland, San Francisco, Berkeley and San Rafael, and was a fine gathering. The luncheon itself was number one, given by the ladies of the Presbyterian church as noted elsewhere, and the short talks made by those present were apt and to the point. Such meetings do a lot of good and should be held at least once a month, in the different bay cities.

WINFREE'S NEW STORE

A. A. Winfree, dealer in "Everything for men and Boys", after six years and four months at 106 Macdonald avenue, has removed to 617 Macdonald.

His new store is one of the most up-to-date on Richmond's "Broadway."

All of the popular goods dear to the masculine heart are on display at prices to fit all purses. We predict for Mr. Winfree the measure of success he deserves.

Marin County Festivals To Be Gorgeous

Marin County is to give its long-planned monster Flower Pageant at San Rafael, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week, May 19, 20 and 21, and it is going to be one of the biggest and grandest celebrations ever attempted in California.

In the outdoor theatricals upwards of two thousand people will participate, depicting the early history of California and the Pacific Coast. The celebration is national in its scope and it will be well worth traveling clear across this great state to see. San Rafael is one of the prettiest garden spots of the world, and inasmuch as Marin county sent a delegation of boosters over to our Chamber of Commerce luncheon Wednesday, and they promised that if Richmond would come to their big carnival next week the whole of their section of country would be here enmasse to our Fourth of July celebration, it is up to Richmond to make good and be on hand.

The California Legislature passed a series of resolutions endorsing the Marin Flower Pageant and setting forth the objects of the celebration. Members of the California delegation in Washington are arranging through the various departments of the Government of the United States to secure the official participation of the governments of Great Britian, Spain, Mexico and Russia in the celebration.

Governor Hiram W. Johnson will be present at the opening exercises. Other distinguished visitors from other states and from foreign countries will take part in the dedicatory exercises.

President Wilson has signed a bill passed by the Congress of the United States providing for the appointment of a representative of the United States to come here during the Pageant.

Evening of May 18th.

Fireworks and bonfires on the hills of Central Marin County.

Friday, May 19th.

Salute by Mr. Tamalpais Academy Artillery at 8 a. m.

Procession to receive the Governor and Distinguished guests at 11 a. m.

Luncheon to Governor and Distinguished guests at 12:30 p. m.

Opening of Indoor Flower Show and Wild Flower Exhibit at San Rafael Armory at 1 p. m.

Marathon starts from Mill Valley at 12 noon and finishes at San Rafael.

Grand Outdoor Undenominational Thanksgiving service under leadership of clergy of Marin county and San Francisco in presence of Governor and distinguished guests with instrumental and choral effects at San Rafael at 2 p. m.

Better Babies Contest, 2 p. m.

San Rafael (embracing choral and Opening of Musical Tournament in instrumental organizations) at 3:30 p. m.

Opening of Athletic Contests at San Rafael—embracing entrants from all parts of the State at 3:30 p. m.

Opening of Cat Show at 3:30 p. m.

Flower games and concert at San Rafael at 4:30 p. m.

Outdoor Ball at San Rafael and

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Intervention In Mexico Inevitable

El Paso (Texas), May 11.— Major eGneral Hugh L. Cettt, chief of staff of the army, notified Mexican Minister of War Obregon to-day that President Wilson had authorized him to refuse the demand for the withdrawal of the punitive expedition.

The unqualified official statement brought to an end the thirteen-day conference between the military representatives of the two countries. The conferees separated at 6:35 o'clock this evening, taking every precaution to avoid the appearance of an immediate breach in diplomatic ralations.

WASHINGTON, May 12—President Wilson and his Cabinet are today considering a new policy that may lead to intervention in Mexico.

Notification that the conference between General Scott and General Obregon had ended in disagreement brought the administration face to face with the fact that a new policy must be adopted.

The rock on which the conferees split was the demand of Carranza for withdrawal of American troops and the refusal of General Scott, under orders from Washington to accede to this demand.

The gravity of the situation was fully realized, however. It was admitted that aggressive action by General Obregon's army might force intervention before diplomatic meas-

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THE PITTSBURG OF THE WEST

Five million population for California, one million for San Francisco and fifty thousand for Richmond.

That is the slogan that has been taken up and is being echoed far and wide along the Pacific coast. One hears it in San Francisco more than here at home, that Richmond is to have a population of fifty thousand.

Why are five million people coming to California? Because it is 400 miles wide, 700 miles long, has the best climate in the world and is capable of sustaining five times that population.

Why are a million coming to San Francisco? Because it is the natural metropolis of the Pacific coast and nothing on earth can hinder or stop it.

Why are fifty thousand people coming to Richmond? Not only because the placid Pacific laves and cools the brow of giant industry as the western sun sinks to slumber in effulgent glory through the Golden Gate; not only because it is always summer and the rose and violet riot in profusion with the poppy and the lily, but because Richmond is already a great manufacturing city and destined to become a vertable Pittsburg of the West! Destined to become greater and greater in a manufacturing way each year by edict of a world-wide commercialism sweeping ever onward as resistless as the ocean's tide. This is further decreed by the city's position on the greatest deep water harbor on the Pacific coast, to which is flowing through the Golden Gate swift tides of commerce and the traffic of the awakening Orient and the products of our own great manufacturing plants seeking the markets of the swarming eastern world.

Commerce is the magis word of today and the Pacific ocean is to be the vast theater of the worlds commercial struggle in the days just ahead of us, because here are the greatest harbors of the world and great harbors build great cities.

It never occurs to Andy Carnegie to pension anybody who needs it.

The Sacramento Bee will have to get a new stinger. The old one is blunt at the end, bent in the middle and full of bile.

The Harvester trust, having harvested sixteen million dollars profits last year seems to be living up to its name. It harvests dollars, politicians and suckers.

Those engaged in reuniting the various and sundry factions of the Republican party have a long, steady job, with over time, ahead of them.

The esteemed Examiner, modest little violet, acknowledges that it is the greatest newspaper on earth.

If the parents of Teddy Roosevelt and Hiram Johnson had consulted them about being born they would never have consented to come into such a world as this one is.

There is no sugar coating to the pill handed to the Johnson regime in this state, but the doctor's orders are to take it and look pleasant. Hiram has a grouch that is inconsolable.

The billboards are still glaring out into the umbrient atmosphere like a sore thumb on a frosty morning, screaming of Brown's Bile Beans for Bilious Boobs.

Why doesn't the California fish and game commission break up the fish trust? What is a fish and game commission for, anyway—just to draw its salary? It doesn't seem to either fish or cut bait.

We are not going to mortgage the home place to buy an automobile until Superintendent Dimm of the Standard Oil works gets disintregated along with the rest of the octopuses sufficiently to come down on the price of gasoline a whole lot. Yes sir, a whole lot.

Glad to note by the dispatches that Smoot and Penrose are still battling for the dear people. These confounded dear people seem to need battling for all the time, and it just keeps fellows like Smoot, Penrose, Roosevelt, Perkins and Hi Johnson busy from morning till night.

All resolutions of condolence and cards of thanks should be cut out. When we die, if anybody prints any of that sort of drivel we are coming back and roost on the foot of their bed and rattle our bones at them, if we have any bones, and otherwise will howl like a Kansas cyclone blowing down a chimney.

Richmond is forging ahead as no other town in California or the Pacific coast. Investors here are reaping a reward for their foresight and shrewdness. This is a great city and is destined to become greater with the passing of years. Wherever a great many men are employed at good salaries you will find good times, and that is just what is being experienced in Richmond the year round.

MONEY KINGS BIGGER THAN GOVERNMENT

"Why curb the trusts," asks Prof. Giddings of Columbia university. "Let them continue to absorb each other, the larger swallowing the smaller, after the manner of snakes, until at the end of their carnivorous carnival there is left but one huge, gorged trust-serpent. Then the nation steps in and swallows this surviving fittest. Thus government ownership comes like a gift. The trust will have done all the work; the people will reap all the benefit."

Unhappily these schemes do not work out according to program. The advantages of government ownership depend on who owns the government, and it is quite within the range of possibility that the super-trust, its appetite growing by what it feeds on, might decline to be swallowed by the nation; might, in fact, turn and swallow the nation instead. It takes two to make a bargain, even in sociology.

When we read in the dispatches this week of the billions upon billions of dollars, trust securities and wealth monopoly held and dictated by J. Pierpont Morgan and a few of his associates, we can readily perceive that in a financial way these few men are greater than this government. This writer has many times made the assertion that these men and their trusts and monopolies were greater than the government as at present constituted and under the laws made by the paid emissaries of these men, and has been called socialistic because of it, though there is nothing socialistic in such a claim, nothing but the stating of a fact, and a fact it is. The remedy lies in a government more in sympathy with the common people and less in sympathy with vested interests and monopolistic wealth, and the passing of remedial legislation by such a government.

The Sacramento Bee is dreadfully dry in everything except the liquor question.

The stage is getting to be a deluge of French sewage, glorifying infidelity, making a jest of marriage and sneering at virtue as rustic prudery. The morals of the footlight favorites are as scanty as their clothing—gahze veil, anklet and a dab of paint.

SOCIETY QUEEN DRUNK AND DRESSED UP

A New York dispatch yesterday states that Katherine Pierce, known as Mrs. "Tom" Pierce, the dashing wife of the Boston millionaire, intrepid horsewoman, leader in the smarter element of Boston society and daring originator of "stunts" for the enjoyment of the gay set at Newport and New York, appeared in the Yorkville court to answer to a charge of disorderly conduct. She had created a disturbance in Maxim's Monday night, so the manager of that resort declared; had kicked through the window of a taxicab and had used language more forcible than elegant.

How altogether lovely it is to be an up-to-date society queen and millionairess back in New York and Newport high society nowdays! And how comforting it is to note that our women are fast getting all the rights and privileges of men. They can now not only vote in a great many states, which we are heartily in favor of, but they can dress mannishly, get drunk and kick the windows out of taxicabs, use vile language and get hauled into police court in a hurry-wagon, which we are not in favor of by a million miles. We can think of nothing better to suggest for the treatment of such millionaire queens of the east than for their husbands to take them over their knees and apply a barrel stave with vigor right where it will do the most good. Thank God the west does not rear that kind of society queens.

Now that the second division of the superior court of this county is established it ought to sit in Richmond. This would take a change in the laws, but such a change should be made. This thing of a city of 20,000 inhabitants having to spend all day going twenty-five miles to an interior town to attend to all legal matters is getting to be some joke. A deputy county clerk should be here, also. Too much tail wagging the dog.

We are glad to note by the local columns that our chief of police is keeping his eye on the underworld as well as upon the rest o f us. In this connection it may not be amiss to mention that the saloon keeper who barters drink to young men under age or to habitual drunkards has not a shade the best of it over a street-walker or the painted denizen of the hen coop row.

THE GILDED FOOL

Highbrow orators and writers spend considerable time and froth bewailing the fatte of the unhappy rich men's sons who are born with silver spoons in their mouths and shortly afterward replace them with gold tipped cigarettes. A skeptic is apt to consider this sort of effort as consolation for the boys who have to go to work instead of to Europe in a private yacht, and should be an inducement for them to go to their work cheerfully which is the only way they can ever hope to amount to anything. But there are really two or three kings of rich men's sons. Some soon become nonentites, mere good natured loafers who figure somewhat in the society news and learn a little something about fast motor cars and faster women; of good horses and good wine, but add no partical to the world's progress or progressiveness; getting ennui as they do, becoming blase at thirty their lot is sad enough and deserving of pity, for there is joy in achievement which money cannot buy, and work is the only sauce which can make amusement worth while.

Another class of rich men's sons, such as Harry Thaw, for instance, makes a truly pitable spectacle, caused by excess wealth. For such as these we blame the parents more than the young men, for if they are taught nothing but to spend money there is no hole in hell they are not likely to investigate.

But there as rich youths who make useful men, because their parents have sense as well as gold. They are taught the importance of health, industry, decency and politeness before they are led to believe there is nothing for them to do and no danger of their money running out. In this making of the gilded fool there is no doubt that parents must shoulder some of the blame beyond earning the money which gilds the trail.

Mr. Hearst seems to still be at war with Japan.

Next to newspapers, the class of advertising that pays the best interest upon the investment is wedding invitations.

When a story gets out on you, do not deny it, for that only fans the flame, and, besides, people may start in then and prove it.

The Republicans and Progressives are trying to get together. As near as we can figure it they have got to get together or go to pieces worse. Like the Texas horse thieves, they must hang together or hang separately.

We believe that if we were a Greek right now that we would do a Marathon race, too. Discretion is sometimes the better part of valor, and it is a difficult feat to dodge thirteen-inch shells coming red hot out of cannons big enough for mules to sleep in. The man who did not run at the first battle of Bull Run is there yet.

There is no statute against these California bull moosers who put tariff reduction in their platform now bellowing their heads off over a small reduction on citrus fruits and beet sugar. Anybody is privileged in this country to make an ass of himself if he is so inclined. All that is necessary is gall, and they have a surplus of that.

F. J. Hulaniski, the bright and scintillating hot-stuff writer of the Thinkograph, has become editor and manager of the News at Richmond, and has resumed activities in this interesting section where he is well known. He will publish his magazine from the same plant. Mr. Hulaniski has many friends in Contra Costa who are glad to welcome the able writer and editor back into our midst.—Byron Times.

An advertimesent in this paper works hard while you sleep, or maybe while you loaf, same as the interest on your note in the bank does. The busy bee is not in that class for industry at all.

Over in Switzerland they have a simple little taxation scheme that is justice, and an idea this country should adopt. When a man pays his taxes he is given a blank on which he states the amount of the mortgage on his property and who holds that mortgage. And the amount of the mortgage is deducted from the assessment and assessed against the man who holds it.

We have read that the cost of boarding the army of men employed on the government works of the Panama canal was less than half what it costs the average person, and there is food for thought in these facts. If it only costs from four to nine cents a day for the government to feed a man, there is no sense on earth why it should cost all the rest of us the biggest part of our pay check, and it occurs to us that it would be a good scheme for this to be investigated and the government's plan made public, in order that the rest of us can take advantage of it. If it is necessary for a lot of us to band together in a community of interest to bring this about, why, all right, let's do it. If Uncle Sam refuses to be bled by the food trusts, why should other people?

Thinks From The Thinkograph

Any operation costing $100 or more is not painless.

The man who says he can quit when he wants to, generally doesn't want to.

The basis of politics is Money and its aim is Power.

While all the world loves a lover, it kids a bridegroom.

A wise man knows more than he tells and a fool tells more than he knows.

By the way, what did Eve do about clothes in the fall when the leaves had fallen?

Two is company, but one like Bryan or Roosevelt is a crowd.

It is better to be a good worker than a poor schemer.

Among those who are strong for government ownership of everything are those who never owned anything.

A number of prominent German officials in this country have been declared persona au gratin.

Platonic love is a misnomer, and old Plato was some fakir himself, as other Greeks have been since.

Those of us who are fair to middlin' busy rustling meal tickets don't seem to get much time to worry about the high price of gasoline for autos.

It matters not so much whether the streets of the New Jerusalem are paved with gold, asphalt or good intentions just so automobiles are barred from them.

About as big a pestiferous nuisance as there is , is the chap with a phonograph mouth who sits around a saloon and damns the country.

It's lamentable but true that a few of our fellow mortals on this mundane sphere are so crooked they make a shadow like a brace and bit.

The average political patriot is a lusty shouter for equal rights until he connects with special privilege himself, and then his larynx begins to pester him.

An exchange says that nowadays when a man makes a fool of himself he claims to have been hypnotized. Then there are a lot of us who were hypnotized early and have never come out of it.

Ladies should also be thrifty, and not live beyond their alimony.

Those who raly round a keg orate more than those who rally round the flag.

United, the boodlers stand; divided, they are put on the stand.

While a great many of us are for woman suffrage, Cupid is not overly enthusiastic about it.

Courtship is an inflamable by-product of love, and marriage is the dangerous distillation of both.

Man pursued by woman is as a rule a derned poor sprinter.

Don't let your biting-off capacity exceed your masticating ability.

Garlic will drive away rheumatism, but nothing will drive away the garlic.

Don't be like a hen and put in the rest of the day cackling after you have laid an egg.

When Carnegie dies poor it will be when fish come out on the bank and bark at the moon.

When a man or a woman is chased there is always contributory negligence on the part of the chasee.

Hothouse cucumbers have shot athwart the morn. Use plenty of salt on them—it makes the corpse look more lifelike.

There are many strange gods to run after, but only one devil.

The five foolish virgins were not foolish because they were virgins.

It is funny there are only ten commandments. There ought to be a whole lot more.

Meat eaters are greater hustlers than vegetarians. They have to be to get the price of the meat.

Most of us have a bunch of beautiful theories we never put into practice.

Because your wife is forty is no sign you can change her for two twenties.

Some women marry for love, some for money, and still others marry Nat Goodwin.

Good old hard work and energy beats nailing up horseshoes and carrying a rabbit's foot.

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Sunrise Slumber Boon to Mothers

Two or three years ago many of the magazines published lengthy articles about the discovery by German physicians of an anaesthetic method of treating maternity cases, rendering childbirth painless to the mother. The new method, to which the name "Twilight Sleep" was given, was hailed as a great boon to the mothers of the race.

Since then, however, great strides have been made in this field and an entirely new method of anaesthesia has superseded the "Twilight Sleep." "Sunrise Slumber" is the name of the new anaesthesia. Its exponents assert that it is a vast improvement over the "Twilight Sleep," as the latter does not actually relieve pain, but merely produces the loss of memory of pain.

What is known as "Sunrise Slumber" is the effect of the administration of nitrous oxide and oxygen. It makes actual painless childbirth possible, without the loss of consciousness. The mother is in full possession of all her faculties, but suffers no pain of any kind. Nor does any nervous shock follow "Sunrise Slumber," as it does in many cases where the "Twilight Sleep" is administered.

This lessening of nervous shock has resulted in a great reduction of the maternal mortality. With "Sunrise Slumber" the maternal mortality is from one in 100,000 to one in 250,000. With the "Twilight Sleep" the mortality runs as high as one in 250, or one thousand times greater.

Dr. W. J. Caesar is a firm believer in "Sunrise Slumber." He has installed complete apparatus for its administration at the Barrett Sanitarium, and considers the abolition of the intense pain that attends motherhood the greatest boon of the century.

AN EXCEPTIONAL COMBINATION

The News has a new man out in the subscription field who is an expert in matters of circulation. His name is J. M. Heady, and he is an old Redding friend of Judge D. J. Hall, our steemed City Attorney, who says Mr. Heady is a mighty good man. Funny thing about it, though, is that Mr. Heady is not only a newspaper man but a minister of the gospel, which is a combination we never ran up against before. As a preacher he is, of course, a good, righteous, upright man, and as a newspaper man he must be, of course, a very wicked sinner, so he ought to strike about the right average. Out in the circulation field he is following his natural inclination as a preacher—taking up a collection, and we trust he will be successful. If any of you want to get married, or be buried, or anything like that while he is out among you, maybe he would throw it in as a sort of premium to the paper. We are trying to get him to stay on the paper regular and if he should we can divide labors with him—he could do the righteous stunts while we mingle with the ungodly, which a lot of you are, and do the wicked end, such as selling out to the plutocrats and hobnobbing with wicked politicians like Mayor Garrard, Judge Hall, Sharkey, Joost, Sullinger, Baker, George Meese and Mike Hurley. That would be like the two brothers in the coal business. One joined the church and wanted the other to do so, also, but he refused on the plea that it would not do for them both to join the church because one of them had to weigh the coal.

BIRTH REPORT OF APRIL 1916

Born to the wife of M. Acredelo, a daughter; J. H. Baird, a son; L. Bertolli, a son; M. Bozich, a son; A. C. Childs, a daughter; J. Cox, a son; J. N. Denarte, a son; A. J. Erich, daughters, twins; J. P. Fattula, a son; W. H. Henche, a son; R. Giovanetti, a son; M. Jaramilla, a daughter; E. V. Kerr, a daughter; E. F. Mann, a son; C. E. Myatt, a daughter; J. A. Nesbitt, a daughter; J. J. Newman, a daughter; G. Parkantes, a daughter; Edw. Parsons, a daughter; J. Phimister, a son; L. H. Warner, a daughter; H. W. Wyckoff, a son.

Males	11
Females	13
Total	24

24 births reported this last month against 28 for April, 1915, 26 for 1914, 26 for 1913, and 12 for 1912.

If a birth has occured that is not in the above report, kindly notify this office.

Chas. R. Blake M. D.
Commissioner of Health

Memorial Day G.A.R. Services

Nearly fifty years ago the Grand Army of the Republic in National convention assembled, named May 30th as a day of mourning of the organization then just formed, and passed the order on to the soldiers of the Civil war to observe this day as long as one who served his country in that war remained to answer to the call.

Since then the whole country has fallen into line and made the 30th of May the day dedicated to the memory of the departed comrades, friends and relatives.

In pursuance of this custom so established, there will be memorial services held in Wesley M. E. church on Sunday, May 28th at 11 o'clock a. m. at which time there will be appropriate addresses delivered by a number of speakers, and music fitting for the occasion rendered.

We will adjourn this meeting to meet again at Sunset View cemetery on May 30th at 11 o'clock, where ritualistic services will be rendered by all organizations that will join with the G. A. R. in this—a proper observation of the day.

The program, which will be arranged later will include the firing of a salute to the dead and decorating the graves with flowers.

The public is urged to join in the services on both the above dates. Organizations wishing to take part are urged to notify Patriotic Instructor Levi Boswell at the earliest possible date, who will place them on the program, which will be published later.

By order of
HENRY GALVIN,
Commander.
C. H. McCAUSLAND,
Adjutant

MOTHER'S DAY SUNDAY

Special services will be held at all the Richmond churches Sunday in honor of Mothers' Day, and everybody will wear a white carnation in honor of the day.

In the evening special Elks services honoring the day will be held in the auditorium of the Lincoln grammar school at which time Rev. Thomas Boyer will speak on "The Practical Value of Sentiment."

A Special vocal selection "O, Mother of Mine" will be rendered by Miss Irene Ayres of Berkeley and another by Miss Margaret Knoble of this city. Richmond lodge of Elks No. 1251 will attend the services in a body.

SECOND ANNUAL POLICE BALL

June 10 has been set as the date and East Shore Park the place for the Second Annual Ball of the Richmond Police Department and that it will be a whale goes without saying. Following are the committees:

Reception—Oliver Wylie, Chairman; Buford Shirley, Dan Cox.

Floor—Charles Walker, chief, chairman; H. Glover, San Wright, Henry Lang, H. Jones and Roy Kreamer.

Decorating—R. Kirkpatrick chairman; W. Sprague, G. Betts, H. Livingston and C. Mahnke.

Mayor and Mrs. E. J. Garrard will lead the grand march and it is expected from 850 to 1,000 will be in attendance.

HELP! MURDER! THE ENEMY ARE UPON US!

The Health Department of this City asks for the earnest help and co-operation of all its citizens in getting rid of the flies. On account of no rains, the flies have bred in enormous numbers, and it is up to all of us to get rid of them.

Put your fly traps in order, set out some poison and sticky fly paper, screen your house, and finally, swat every fly you see.

Help us get rid of the enemy.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

With all due respect and honor to woman, as such, Lord bless her it is a fact nevertheless that as a rule she is not much when it comes to conducting a business—few of them ever make good in business like the men do, which is likely due to generations of lack of experience. Once in a while, though one makes good and builds up a business just as efficiently as a man can, and among those in Richmond is Mrs. Adams, of the Adams Coal and Express Co. She has maintained her business since the death of her husband and not only held it up to its old time standard of excellency but has improved and enlarged it, though she acknowledges that it has been a man-size job. She certainly deserves all praise and every encouragement.

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Suits selling formerly as high as $29.50 NOW $16.50
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Suit Section—Second Floor.

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Interesting County Lines

The women's Improvement Club of Pittsburg is now working hard to secure a suitable building site for a five thousand dollar Carnegie library. They have been assured a fine building and the Club is determined to secure this splendid offer and the Town Board has promised to help as the public library is recognized as a leading factor in the educational development of a community.

It is said that the streams of Mt. Diablo are will filled with trout this year as a result of the heavy rains during the winter. The sportsman can now catch the limit.

The annual commencement exercises of the Alhambra High school will be held on the evening of Thursday, June 15th. There are 13 members of the graduating class and they objected to holding the ceremony on Friday night.

Crockett is to have a large modern slaughter house which will make that place a distributing point for the wholesale of all kinds of meat. About ten people will be givenemployment at once and more wil be needed as the business grows. The first shipment of sheep, cattle and hogs arrived last week from Los Banos.

Walnut Creek will also celebrate the Glorious Forth and all the towns about are invited to participate. This is to be a jubilation over the completion of the tunnel road and everybody in the Mt. Diablo region will join in making this Fourth an event long to be remembered. The tunnel road is an improvement that means much to all of that section and will be the means of bringing more people into that section.

Oakley is shipping cherries this week and they are of good quality and the demand big.

The steamer Manoa arrived at Crockett with 64,817 bags of sugar for the refinery. The boat will return to the islands with a general cargo.

Hay cutting is now under way near Pinole and the crop is fairly good although not so bountiful as in former years owing to the lack of late rains.

3,125 fine fat Contra Costa lambs were shipped from Byron last week to Chicago. They were valued at over $20,000.

The summit of Mt. Diablo is getting to be a popular resort for auto tourists and thousands from the bay cities visit there each Sunday.

The Oil refinery of the Shell interests at Martinez uses 25,000 barrels of oil a day from which it manufactures $25,000 worth of products a day.

The wool season closed with shipments from Byron amounting to 160 bales, of 300 pounds total. The wool was mostly of good grade, and prices ranged from 22 1-2 cents to 28 cents per pound, the highest prices known for many years. The wool was mostly shipped to Stockton, some going to San Francisco.

Alumni Will Re-Organize

New blood inducted into the Alumni Association of the Richmond Union High school has caused the rejuvination of that society. It is planned to make it a society to socially and materially aid graduates of the local high school, assisting those graduates going on to college to co-operate in study, and those going out to work to find jobs or positions t which they are best adapted.

Probably the social life will be the most indulged in branch of the Association providing social advantages to graduates which can hardly be enjoyed in any other strata of Richmond society. The need for such a society is evinced in the springing up of a few small, and hardly successful clique societies of high school graduates," stated some of the adherents of the new Association re-organization. Social activities will consist of one of two annual dances in addition to the customary Senior Ball, given in honor of the graduating class of the local high school, monthly meetings at which versatile programs will be rendered, and by some it is hoped that the society wil se its way clear to foster dramatics.

"A get-together-meeting," replete with a basketball game, a dance and a "Dutch banquet" will be held in the gymnasium of the high school, tomorrow, Saturday night, to which all graduates of the school have been invited. Lengthy discussions will take place, from which will evolve the Association's plans for its revivifying. The report of the Executive committee of the Association regarding the eSnior ball, which is to be given at East Shore park on May 29, will be read by President Angell.

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Jaunty Jackets of wide blue or gray sport stripes, fancy patent leather belts embellished with steel ornaments and full flare white skirts with wide striped band at bottom to match the jacket are features of these clever dresses which make them so wel worth their price, and in addition the material is an unusually firm basket weave that launders beautifully.

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Women who know our Basement corset section do not have to be told of the completeness of its stock and the wonderful values. If you no not know it, and wish to economize, come tomorrow.

At 79c we are disposing of a large assortment of plain coutie and brocade Corsets with flexible boning and the fashionable medium high bust. Other low-bust styles in the lot. Sizes 19 to 30.

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L'ESTUDENTINA TO MEET AT DEARBORN'S

L'Estudentina, the popular and exclusive musical society of Richmond will hold a meeting at the home of Miss Erma Dearborn, the accomplished pianist, Friday evening, May 12, at 326 Second street, this city. "Very Important" business will come before the meeting.

This conservative society has undergone a reorganization this year, and is becoming more popular with every meeting.

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F. P. SPAULDING MARKETS SOFT, METALLIC PACKING

F. P. Spaulding, the popular S. O. employee, is putting one of his recent inventions on the public market, the invention being a soft, metallic packing, adaptable for cylinders actuating or being actuated by air, steam, oil water, etc.

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Elegant New Stock of Gent's Furnishings

A journey of 170 miles on foot is quite an undertaking for a young person, yet Mrs. Azalea E. De Steffani, aged 64, is not in the least deterred by the task. She dropped into the News office today and said that she had arrived this far on a journey from Fruitvale to her ranch near Placerville. She is making her way as she goes by selling photographs and original poems. Mrs. Steffani has been on the road for nearly two weebs, coming by way of Oaklang, Berkeley and intervening towns. She is the personification of optimism and sunshine.

Messrs Strowbridge, Fagerstrom Morton, Johnston and Beckman have been awarded contracts to build five fine, modern bungalows on the Richmond Traffic Center tract in east Richmond. These homes will be built for the Downer Land Company.

Does It Pay to Advertise?

Do you read our Ads?

This ad and 20c good for any pair of Men's, Womens' or Children's Hose

C. C. Olney

721 Macdonald Ave.

Meet Me At the Fair

The Big Store Is Improving

The newly incorporated firm, The Klement company, successors to Klement & George Co., are now remodeling all their fixtures, and the interior of the store will in a few days look like a large city department store. The departments are being engaged and the shoe department will occupy about double the original space. Other departments, such as the Ready to Wear Section, will be made to conform with modern ideas, making it convenient for customers to shop.

This firm will make a specialty of Ladies, Misses and Children's wearing apparel, and aims to carry an un-to-date stock at better than city prices. New, up-to-date fixtures are being built through the center of the store, low enough to see all over the store and still give shelve room for additional departments. The Mason cash system will be installed, which will improve service, which the Big Store expect to make a feature. A big office is also being build to handle the financial end of the business.

The windows are always trimmed in the latest styles and should be watched by the shopping public. Other improvements are under contemplation.

Gorge Celvert, superintendent for the telephone company, contributes some good news to tne effec. that new telephone service for San Pablo and Richmond suburbanites is being installed. It will carry a considerable reduction in rates. A two-party service may be had at $1.75, or $2 a month for straight service. The old rate was $2.50 for a ten-party line.

C. J. Lambrecht, the popular coal and feed dealer, heralds his wares in a new advertisement this week. Mr. Lambrecht buys feed direct from the farmer and mixes it himself, consequently he is able to sell produce at the very lowest prices to be had in the market.

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INTERVENTION IN MEXICO IS INEVITABLE

(Continued from Page One)

ures have been exhausted.

It was considered extremely likely to-night that the Cabinet tomorrow will decide to give Carranza one more chance to co-operate with the United States in suppressing outlawry along the border. If this course is adopted there may be an exchange of notes before further steps are taken along lines that may lead to intervention.

It is known that the President has reached the conclusion that if intervention is the only means left of settling the Mexican question he will apply that remedy.

Intervention has been regarded for some time by the President's Cabinet advisers as practically inevitable. The President at the outset resisted this extreme step, but there has been direct evidence in the last few days that he has come to the conclusion that there is no other course open unless Carranza adopts a more tractable attitude.

If the situation is found to call for intervention, the President will go before Congress and place the matter before that body. Orders for the militia and probably for 100,000 volunteers to give the United States an army of 250,000 probably would be the next step.

General Funston and Pershing are now rushing preparations for what is now believed to be inevitable—intervention in Mexico by the United States government.

Le Moine Bros New Drug Store

As further evidence that Richmond is forging ahead in every way, the fact that the fine new Cunningham block, at 9th and Macdonald, now rapidly nearing completion, is to have as its main feature, in the big corner store room on the first floor a new and strictly modern drug store, is among the very good signs of progress.

And who do you suppose is going to pull off that stunt? Why, Lamoine Brothers, of course. And why "of course?" That's easy to answer, too—simply because these two young men show all the earmarks of go-aheaditiveness, progress and the kind of ability that counts.

About as soon as the smoke of the Richmond Fourth of July battles cleared away and the wounded have been sent home or over to Doc. Caesar's hospital, or maybe to heaven, these hustling La Moin Brothers will be found arranging in the new block their fine new drug emporium, and we learn that it is to rival anything of the sort on this side of the bay.

You know, there are drug stores, and then drug stores, and one is about as different from the other nowdays as Wilson is from Roosevelt. One has some last year's pills and powders and porus plasters, Hostetters Bitters, Ayres Almanacs, cobwebs and a long-haired clerk who never advertises and don't know that Ge raymEnnad that Germany and England are at war. Then these are those that have about everything anybody wants—regular bazaar of fashion, literature, art, headquarters for the fair sex and a general all-round joy forever, including, of course everything in medica meteria from "roots and yarbs" to those long Latin names which scares a fellow so when he gets a pain in his pocket.

We like to see young men like LaMoine Brothers forge ahead and prosper, just like the city of Richmond is doing, because they are up to date, courteous, active, progressive and give good service. They have been doing business in Richmond now for about three years, and have "made good," and the great question nowdays is, "did you make good." They have greatly improved the service in their line in this city, and have also reduced the price, and they sure do the business, which is evidenced by the crowd always there.

Their new store will give them two to attend to, but they like to be busy. That it will be something which will be a credit to Richmond, goes without saying, and everybody will be glad of it and extend the glad hand which merit is always entitled to.

Miss Josie Peris of Richmond and Mr. Harry T. Heckman of Oakland were married Wednesday in Oakland by Judge Quinn. The happy couple will reside in Oakland.

LABOR TO WAR ON INJUNCTION

American Federation Wants New Bill In All States.

FORMING TRADE UNIONS.

Proposed Law Provides That It Shall Not Be Unlawful For Workers to Organize For the Purpose of Bettering Their Condition—Toil of a Human Being Is Not a Commodity.

President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor has notified all central labor unions in the United States of the decision of the federation to ask the central unions, acting for the 2,000,000 members, to have a new anti-injunction law introduced in all of the state legislatures, in the belief that efforts will be made by powerful interests to curtail the rights of labor unions by means of legislative action.

The provisions of this proposed law are as follows:

Section 1.—It shall not be unlawful for working men and women to organize themselves into or carry on labor unions for the purpose of lessening the hours of labor or increasing the wages or bettering the condition of the members of such organizations or carrying on their legitimate purposes as freely as they could do if acting singly

Sec. 2.—No restraining order or injunction shall be granted by any court of this state or any judge or judges thereof in any case involving or growing out of a dispute concerning terms or conditions of employment, unless necessary to prevent irreparable injury to property or to a property right of the party making the application, for injury for which there is no adequate remedy at law, and such property or property right must be described with particularity in the application, which must be in writing and sworn to by the applicant or by his agent or attorney.

Sec. 3.—No restraining order or injunction shall prohibit any person or persons, whether singly or in concert, from terminating any relation of employment or from ceasing to perform any work or labor, or from recommending, advising or persuading others so to do; or from attending at any place where any person or persons may lawfully be for the purpose of obtaining or communicating information or from persuading any such person to work or to abstain from working; or from ceasing to patronize any party to such dispute; or from recommending, advising or persuading others so to do; or from paying or giving to or withholding from any person engaged in such dispute any strike benefits or other moneys or things of value; or from assembling in a lawful manner, or for lawful purposes; or from doing any act or thing which might lawfully be done in the absence of such dispute by a single individual; nor shall any of the acts specified in this section be considered or held to be illegal or unlawful in any court of this state.

Sec. 4.—That the labor of a human being is not a commodity or article of commerce, and the right to enter into the relation of employer and employee, or to change that relation, or to assume and create a new relation for employer and employee, or to perform and carry on business with any person in any place, or to do work and labor as an employee shall be held or construed to be a personal and not a property right. In all cases involving the violation of the contract of employment, either by the employee or employer, where no irreparable damage is about to be committed upon the property or property right of either, no injunction shall be granted, but the parties shall be left to their remedy at law.

Sec. 5.—No persons shall be indicted, prosecuted or tried in any court of this state for entering into or carrying on any arrangement, agreement or combination between themselves made with a view of lessening the number of hours of labor or increasing wages or bettering the condition of working men or for any act done in pursuance thereof, unless such act is in itself forbidden by law if done by a single individual.

Eight Hours For Paper Makers.

Sixteen paper mills in the Fox River valley, Wis., have announced that they had changed their schedule from the two to the three shift, giving all men an eight hour day instead of an eleven hour day and thirteen hour night shift, but paying the same wages for the eight as for the longer day.

The Man In Overalls.

He gets up in the early morn,
While others are in bed;
Makes no difference if he has
An aching back or head.
He always has to be on deck
The moment labor calls.
He can't stop for the little things,
The man in overalls.

He starts the engine on its round,
He makes the light and heat.
He makes the clothes upon your back,
The shoes upon your feet.
He holds the throttle well within
His hands, whate'er befalls.
You feel at ease to ride behind
The man in overalls.

He doesn't count for very much
In social life, not he,
But were it not for him where would
This good old country be?
He owns not much, he's simply here
To answer labor's calls.
The union is his only hope,
The man in overalls.

—Selected.

ASSESSOR'S OFFICE

1916.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

All persons, firms, companies, corporations and associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, Martinez, immediately, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession, or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian, on

FIRST MONDAY OF MARCH, 1916

in accordance with the new constitution. Refusal or neglect to make such sworn statement of all property owned or held in trust, will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statement to the full penalty of the law.

All property owners should see that their property is correctly described on the assessment roll.

Immediate attention is necessary as work on the roll has already been commenced. Proper blanks may be had at the Assessor's office or of his deputies.

All statements must be in the Assessor's office on or before the 1st day of May, 1916.

G. O. MEESE,
March 6-tf County Assessor

NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete registration of voters is required by law during the year 1916.

Registration closes for the purpose of voting at election for school trustees, on March 7th, 1916; for the purpose of voting at Municipal elections of towns of the sixth class, on March 10th, 1916; for the purpose of voting at Presidential Primary election on April 1st, 1916; for the purpose of voting at August Primary election, on July 29th, 1916; and on Oct. 7th, 1916 for the purpose of voting at General Election on Nov. 7th, 1916.

You may register with the county Clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated February 10th, 1916.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County, California.

The following named persons are registration deputies:

A. C. Faris, City Hall, Richmond, Cal.
Mrs. Mary D. Neill, 154 Washington Ave., Richmond.
Geo. K. Drew, 114 Washington Ave. Richmond.
I. R. Vaughn, 420 Macdonald Ave. Richmond
Miss Nannie Nesbitt, 621 Bissell Ave. Richmond.
Mrs. Florilla Brown, Stege, P. O.
M. J. Gordon, 319 Macdonald Ave. Richmond.
Fred C. Schram, 422 Macdonald Ave. Richmond.
L. J. Thole, 1928 Macdonald Ave. Richmond.
W. J. Richards, Jr. 915 Macdonald Ave. Richmond.
Mrs. Henrietta King, 234 Barrett Ave. Richmond.
Mrs. Laura B. Crampton, 624 Chanslor Ave. Richmond.
Frank M. Silva, San Pablo.
George E. Valencia, San Pablo.
A. H. MacKinnon, Rust.
Herman Rust, Rust.
H. F. Davis, Rust.

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

State and County Taxes for the Fiscal Year 1915-1916.

Office of the Collector of State and County Taxes, Martinez:

Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Contra Costa the Duplicate Assessment Book for the fiscal year 1915-1916,

And that the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property, is due and payable on the

Third Monday in October,

and will be delinquent on the first Monday in December next thereafter at six o'clock p. m., and that unless paid prior thereto fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the

Last Monday in April,

at six o'clock p. m., an additional five per cent will be added thereto. That the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday in January next,

and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April next,

thereafter, at six o'clock p. m., and unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

Taxes are due and payable at the office of the Tax Collector, in the Courthouse at Martinez, Contra Costa county, California.

MARTIN W. JOOST,

FIRE ALARM BOXES

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7. Fourth St. and Macdonald Ave.
8. Sixth St. and Macdonald Ave.
9. Eighth St. and Macdonald Ave.
12. Tenth St. and Macdonald Ave.
13. Twelfth St. and Macdonald Av.
14. Fourteenth and Macdonald Av.
16. Sixteenth and Macdonald Ave.
16. Twentieth and Macdonald Ave.
5. Santa Fe Depot.
17. Twenty-third and Macdonald.
21. Washington and Standard Sts.
23. Cottage and Santa Fe.
24. Richmond Ave and Castro.
26. Richmond Ave and Alvarado.
121. Tenth and Clinton.
12. Nevin and First St.
131. Sixth and Ripley.
139. Third and Ripley Streets.
134. Sixth and Pennsylvania.
51. Barrett and Eighteenth Streets.
53. Bay St. and Pullman Ave.
54. Cutting Blvd. and Pullman Av.
212. Golden Gate and Clarence Sts.
213. Morgan and Vera Streets.
215. Golden Gate between Marine and Lincoln
231. Standard and Clarence Aves.
232. Washington and Scenic.
241. Tunnel and Scenic.
251. Richmond and Tunnel
31. Third and Ohio.
32. Sixth and Ohio.
34. Eighth and Virginia.
35. Thirteenth and Main.
312. Tenth and Ohio.
313. Twelfth and Chanslor
314. Fourteenth and Potrero.
315. Seventh and Chanslor.
321. Ninth and Bissell.
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LABOR NEWS

Why the Steel Trust Granted An Increase

WASHINGTON, May 12—Organizing activity by the American Federation of Labor and the rapid growth in spirit among its 230,000 workers has forced another 10 per cent increase in wages from the United States Steel Corporation.

The best increase announced April 18, to take effect May 1, means a minimum wage for unskilled labor in the steel industry of more than 24 cents an hour, or $2.42 for a 10-hour day. On January 1, before the Youngstown strike forced the first increase, the rate was $1.95 for a 10-hour day.

As in January, the steel corporation was impelled to give an increase by its fear of unionization. Reports from the steel district are that the second 10 per cent increase will not satisfy the men. They are working 10 and 12 hours a day. Their slogan is "the 8-hour day with the same pay," and eventually they will get it, too

The 20 per cent increase in wages since January 1 shows how quickly the union agitation among the steel workers during the past four years bore fruit as soon as the tide of immigration stopped and the men could show their independence without facing starvation.

In the Youngstown district, as elsewhere, the so-called 'independent" steel companies have followed the lead of the trust except that they will try to prevent any permanent betterment in the base rate of wages by paying the increase in the form of bonuses. The men will receive each month 10 percent of their pay in the preceeding month, payments to be made while high prices of steel continue and the plants are running at capacity. Until the men form a strong union, therefore, they will be at the mercy of the companies whenever the latter find an excuse to put wages back at the old starvation level.

Remember that the United States public health service says $800 a year is the very least a family of average size can live on in decency. Under the new "high" wages, the steel worker getting $2.43 for 10 hours work could earn only $753.30 a year if he worked 10 hours every week day in the year and was never sick.

THE EIGHT-HOUR DAY

The workers cannot afford to purchase the eight-hour day at the price of their freedom and of their rights, particularly when there is a better and surer road open to all.

When the workers secure the eight hour work day by their economic power it is even beyond the power of the courts to declare it unconstitutional or to make such a success an instrument for injustice or tyranny.

Men of labor, let us organize, unite, federate solidly and concentrate our efforts for the eight-hour day and for justice and freedom.—Samuel Gompers.

WATCH CHILD LABOR BILL

WASHINGTON, MAY 12—Although the senate committe has made a favorable report on the Keating-Owen child labor bill, which has been passed by the house the foes of this legislation will take advantage of every parliamentary situation to block final consideration.

If this bill becomes a law the products of child labor will be barred from interstate commerce, and trade unionists and other opponents of child labor are urged to write their senators and insist on an early vote on the Keating-Owen bill.

MACHINISTS RAISE WAGES

At Massillon, Ohio, machinists employed by the Griscom-Russel plant have won their strike. Wages are increased from 3 to 5 cents an hour, with pay for overtime. The latter class, together with the nine-hour day, will take effect June 1.

Be Typewriter glad Buy an Oliver.

CEMENT WORKERS

Local No. 138, A. B. and C. W. meets Second and Fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at 8 o'clock, in Labor Temple, 4th street, near Macdonald.

J. H. DUUS, President.
JOHN THOMSON, Sec.-Treas., 154 Thirteenth Street.

ASK FOR THE UNION LABEL

A good many of our readers may not be wake to the importance of getting the Union Label on all their purchases. The Union Label is the method adopted by organized labor to bring its influence to bear on the trade of the country. Loyalty to our cause demands that we earnestly enter into the spirit of unionism and next exert our power which will result in moulding the channels of trade into ways that will give the working men and women a proper proportion of gain in return for their effort in producing the world's commodities. To this end we must keep in mind those firms who are co-operating with us in manufacturing and selling that merchandise which is of especial interest to union men.

DON'T BE CAUGHT DEAD IN A STETSON HAT

The Labor Clarion has this to say about the scab Stetson outfit:

There is a moral in the strike of the unorganized employees of the Stetson Hat company of Philadelphia. The moral is to be found in the exposure of the benevolent feudalism in the plant of this concern which has for years denied its workers the right to organize. The happenings of the past few weeks have opened the eyes of the workers for the Stetson company to the miserable pretense that the giving of a few turkeys and bronze medals is a just consideration for the inferior wages paid for the labor of the workers who have built up that mammoth institution and made bloated with wealth those in direct charge. It brings to light a story of beautiful self-sacrifice on the part of men, women, girls and boys who after years of impossible industrial conditions revolted against the pseudo-philanthropy, the fake-paternalism, the hypocritical generosity of the John B. Stetson company.

BEER TURNS OUT TO BE SAWDUST

Passing along Macdonald avenue one is struck by a peculiar sight—a big pipe-line sticking up into the air and apparently passing from the Home Laundry to the Yosemite Brewery. Wondering what in blazes the fellows at the Laundry wanted with beer in such immense quantities, we went in yesterday to investigate, and found that the pipe-line did not go to the brewery at all, but to the Tilden lumber yard next door to it. The pipe-line sucks up the shavings and sawdust from the lumber yard and deposits it by the furnace in the laundry and Mr. Tilden we found down on all fours, with his sleeves rolled up over his dimpled elbows, blowing into the bunghole of the fan to make it get a move on and at the other end Mr. Jack Best was doing his Best, (joke), to keep the shavings where they belonged, with a scoop shovel. Both said that their job had not been so strenuous for a year past as previous, but that now so many new houses were being built all over the city that they had to work over-time swabbing up the sawdust.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

Richmond Daily News.

Location of principal place of business, 250 Sixth street, Richmond, California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That at a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 17th day of April, 1916, an assessment of thirty (30) cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately lawful money of the United States, to R. W. Seamans, the Secretary of said company, at the office of the company, 250 Sixth street in the city of Richmond, county of Contra Costa, state of California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on Monday, the 22nd day of May 1916, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and, unless payment is made before, will be sold on Saturday, the 10th day of June, 1916, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

By order of the Board of Directors.

Dated this 19th day of April, 1916.

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FAVORS SHORT WORKING DAY

Scientific Journal Says That It Makes For Economy.

ADVOCATES THREE SHIFTS.

Fact That Men Cannot Work as Vigorously For Ten Hours as They Will For Eight Has Been Indisputably Demonstrated by Close Analysis. Chief Aim of Mankind is Not Toil.

Some of our correspondents have accused us of partisanship with the labor unions in advocating the adoption of an eight hour day, says the Engineering Magazine in a recent editorial. That, however, is beside the point. We believe absolutely that the universal adoption of the short working day will take place within a relatively short time, and hence our object has been to point out to manufacturers what others have done and what they can do in preparing for this demand.

The eight hour day has proved a commercial success in many lines of industry. Few enterprises can point to that as the cause of failure. Those who followed the Ford series in these pages and those who have had the opportunity to visit the Ford plant in Detroit know how enthusiastic both management and men are over the actual working of the three shift plan.

Men will not and cannot work as vigorously for ten hours or even for nine hours as they will for eight. This has been indisputably demonstarted by many close analysts. And C. J. Morrison's arguments that men will do as much work in an eight hour day are amply supported by the testimony of many others. Furthermore, it must be remembered by all employers that the chief aim of man is not work and that therefore any toil which leaves him no time for his own cannot but prove irksome and will most certainly be shirked by him.

A prominent New England manufacturer remarked recently that he himself didn't like night work, and therefore he didn't propose making his employees do what he himself disliked. This sounds like the true principles of leadership. But is it? How does this man know that his employees would not prefer night work, especially when such work would allow them some daylight hours to themselves and when, as now, under the present ten hour day they have little opportunity for their own gardening or sports?

Mr. Morrison has made the argument that a certain amount of overhead goes on just the same during the night hours when the plant is idle. This is so obvious that we will not discuss it at length. One of our correspondents, however, advanced the question whether by adopting the three shift method and thereby producing three times his normal output he might not have difficulty in selling his product. Such a predicament would be a rarity, but if it actually existed the answer would be: If he can maintain his required output by utilizing one-third of his present equipment working three times as long, it would be folly for him not to sell or scrap his excess equipment.

It behooves the industrial manager to study this question from every angle, for it is certainly something he will be forced to act upon in the near future. Unorganized labor, as well as organized labor, is forcing the issue, and much more credit will be given to that employer who voluntarily adopts the short day than to him who is compelled to do so. Undoubtedly there are many stumbling blocks to be avoided and many hardships will result, but much trouble can be avoided by studious foresight.

Unionism in Alaska.

The organization of labor unions in Alaska is the latest development of the new order of things. A carpenters' and also a plasterers' union has been formed at Juneau. An "organizer" from the States directing the proceedings seems to have successfully rounded up all members of those trades in that town. A circular letter conveys the information that all wage workers in the territory are to be included in a great trades union to prevent the further lowering of the wage scale in force before the advent of the government in its capacity as railroad builder. It is the intention, states the letter, to form a regular trades council for all Alaska, the workers at all trades in the various territorial towns to be organized into affiliated unions.

Living Cost and Wages.

President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor denied before a house committee that living expenses have increased 15 per cent in the United States during the last ten years, while wages had not advanced proportionately.

"In the last twelve years," Mr. Gompers said, "wages, hours of employment and conditions of labor have improved in the United States beyond any other period of any people in the history of the world. The price trend of essentials since 1870 has been downward. We have enlarged what we call the essentials of life in the last thirty years, so that there is no comparison between what the cost of them was and what it is today."

OPPOSITION IS EXPECTED.

The labor movement, like every other movement that moves, is subject to a good deal of uncomplimentary remarks from those who stand still and sneer. Probably the mule who looks over the fence and wabbles an ear at the lightning express has a rather small opinion of railroad speed.—Coast Seamen's Journal.

TRADE UNION MOVEMENT.

Has Won Its Way Through Hard Knocks and Bitter Experience.

Through all the years that the trade union movement has existed it has had to contend daily with forces which were bitterly opposed to its existence and to encounter the problems created by the introduction of machinery and the rapid changes taking place in methods of production.

It has been forced to be constantly on the alert, like an army continually in the field, facing the possibility of battle on every day of its march. It is these experiences which have made the trade union movement practical in its affairs above all other things and developed men who are trained by experience to assume responsible positions

Experience and not theory has been the teacher of the men and women who form the backbone of our movement. and it is the lessons learned in this school, the lessons learned from hasty and ill advised strikes, failure to consider problems fully before undertaking their solution, overlooking the necessity for discipline and sound financial systems which have kept them from being carried away by the noisy appeals of those who have endeavored to lead them into other labor movements in the industrial field.

Great oaks do not grow from acorns in a day; neither do men acquire knowledge without study and experience. What we have as policies and methods in our trade union movement were not formed over night; neither did they spring fully developed from the mind of some genius. They are the result of years of experience on the part of millions of workmen who have been continuously engaged in an effort to improve their conditions and who from the beginning have been forced to deal with practical questions which affected their daily labor and their standard of living. Gradually and steadily they have been building up their organizations, profiting by their experience. Many of the lessons they have learned have been worth the price paid for them, great as it may have been, for they have learned to carry on their movement along such practical lines that it can no longer be endangered by passing efforts to organize other industrial organizations founded on visionary schemes.—Iron Molders' Journal.

THE HOURS OF TOIL.

Experience Proves That Shorter Workday Gives Larger Product.

President White of the anthracite coal miners assured the operators in their conference in this city that the men will mine almost as much coal in eight hours as they do now in nine.

The promise is not fantastic. Neither in heavy tasks nor in delicate ones requiring close attention does product lessen in proportion with shorter hours. Pauline Goldmark, in her monumental work on "Fatigue and Efficiency," cites two famous examples: When the Salford Iron works twenty years ago tried the forty-eight hour week in competition with longer hours, their output of heavy work increased. The great Zeiss Optical works in Germany reduced hours from nine to eight with the same gratifying result.

The miners can hardly expect so signal a success for various reasons. But nowhere in the world of labor need the eight hour day in itself be any longer looked upon as a bugbear.—New York World.

Federal Workers Form Union.

A federal employees' union has been organized at Washington, with 5,000 charter members. The union is affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, and the members are pledged not to engage in or support any strike against the government. Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, addressed the assemblage before its formal act of organization. He warned his hearers that organized power should be exercised with restraint.

Railway Men Get Advance.

Three thousand employees of the United Railways of St. Louis have received an increase in wages of a cent an hour. The advance will amount to about $100,000 a year.

NOTES OF LABOR.

Bricklayers in Newark, N. J., get 70 cents an hour. Helpers get 37½ cents.

The Baldwin Locomotive works of Philadelphia have recently secured orders totaling $1,850,000 for locomotives.

Fifteen of the largest paper mills in Michigan and Ohio have adopted the eight hour day without wage reductions.

Trackmen and other unskilled laborers employed by the Ontario and Western railroad have secured wage increases.

The newly organized laborers' union of Schenectady, N. Y., affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, has raised wages 52 cents a day.

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Job Printing --- The News

Local Items--Town Gossip

Pullman wants a postoffice of its own, and really ought to have one, as it is too big a settlement to get along on a rural delivery service.

C. L. Johnson was given the contract to erect a $3,500 residence in the Richmond Traffic Center tract, by the Downer Land Co. and work will begin immediately.

Miss Constance Humphreys, a trained nurse of Richmond, sailed from New York yesterday for France and is to enlist in the Red Cross work at the Verdun battlefront.

Mrs. J. Boyle of Berkeley is to erect a two-story brick building on her 9th street property here, at once and C. Overa has the contract. There is so much building going on now that it is hard to keep track of it.

Mrs. Hazel Euphrat, wife of E. F. Euphrat, former manager of a local porcelain plant here, committed suicide in San Francisco Tuesday night by taking poison. She had been separated from her husband for some time.

A man named Conrad Holfelder, a lumberman of Yreka, was found dead in his Pullman berth on a Santa Fe train as it arrived here Monday morning, and was removed to the Smallwood undertaking parlors. He died during the night of hemorrhage. He was about 50 years of age well off, and his relatives at Yreka were at once notified and shipped the remains back to his old home.

R. E. Slattery was elected as a member of the school board, over T. J. Shea. Both are good men and the people were sure of a competent and honest official whichever way it went. Mr. Slattery is connected with the Schrader furniture store.

Rev. Peterson and Dist. Atty. Johnson are entitled to the praise and endorsement of the entire community for the good work they have been and are doing to make the lawless element of the roadhouses behave themselves and obey the law. Every man should be made to obey the law. We all have to do that, and that some bleer-eyed and bat-nosed bum that runs an assignation house should be given privileges under the law that none of the rest of us get or ask for is simply absurd. In point of hard, cold fact, there is not one roadhouse in the state of California out of fifty that ought not to be put right square out of business. Nearly all of them are law-breakers and bad actors generally.

In another week bids will be called for by the city engineer for the widening and paving of 23rd street from Macdonald avenue north to the city limits, and very soon thereafter actual work will begin. Those of us who live out that way and have grown heart-sick at the interminable and everlasting delays for the past two or three years, will feel like celebrating the day the first real work is begun. It is one of the most important thoroughfares of the city, and while scores of little dinky streets have been improved this one has been and is yet a disgrace to the city.

Among the new advertisements in this issue is one of Spiersch Brothers, the well known plumbers and supply men over on the west side of town. Dick says it is not true that plumbers charge folks as long as they can hold their breath, and if it was it wouldn't count much in his case, as he is too fat to hold his breath very long. They have done business over there close to the police station for years, and have never been run in once, because they are nice boys, live up to the golden rule, belong to the union and do good work.

A plan has been approved by the city council for the improvement of Pullman avenue from Cutting Boulevard to Potrero avenue and thence a mile south to which point beginning from the southerly city limits the street has been improved. The street when made possible will cut off about two miles between here and the county line. The council referred the matter to the engineer and instructed him to see what could be done in the matter of securing the property from Fay brothers

The dwellers in the 200 block of Second street are objecting strenuously to the reopening of a dying and cleaning works in that vicinity, owing to its smoke and gasoline.

Building Inspector Bert Wierda reports that there are $7,525 worth of buildings going up right now, exclusive of the big new factory out north, the new city hall, and the big business blocks.

Judge Roth has an idea that there are some things in the court proceedings which should be held sacred even from the prying eyes of newspaper reporters, and so once in a while he refuses to allow them to print things happening in his court which he thinks would be better left unprinted. The Judge always has a think of his own about things, and don't let others do all his thinking for him, in which he is eminently correct. Reporters butt into a whole lot of things they have no business to.

Mrs. J. Kennon is rapidly recovering from her recent illness and operation at the Caesar hospital, which was an exceedingly delicate surgical affair. She will soon be up and around and nicer than ever, which is saying a whole lot. Juan has been going around looking like he hadn't a friend in the world, but his usual smile is back in place now, and extends from ear to ear and cross-eyed at the back of the neck.

Tuesday a man named Canio Martinez was found on the Santa Fe tracks near Bixler station, above Martinez, with his throat cut and in a horrible condition from stab wounds. He said he had been set upon by a lone footpad while walking to Richmond along the track and had been cut with a razor and robbed of $20. He was taken to a hospital at Antioch.

A bold burglar entered three houses Monday evening, when the occupants were out spending the evening, and ransacked the rooms for plunder, but secured nothing of value. The houses entered were those of D. Leephart, F. G. Conn and J. F. Scott, all on Second street. Mr. Scott discovered him and gave chase but the burglar escaped in the darkness of the night, and the police have been unable to locate him since.

James Van der Zwiep, who is handling the Bay View tract, with offices near Stege Junction, says sales are looking up of late and business is getting better all the time. Van is one of the good hard hustlers in his line of this section and one who not only gets the business but deserves it.

The big new roofing plant in the north part of the city is fast assuming formidable proportions and now makes a fine showing. The big brick building looms up for miles around and looks mighty good. Arrangements are being made by a large number of people to build houses in the immediate vicinity of the new factory and very soon that section will be built up in great shape. It was a wonderful good streak of luck that Richmond secured this big manufacturing concern, as it is going to make a big difference in the payroll and business generally. The building is very substantial and is worth going out to see.

M. A. Hays is again trying to get sick, so is taking a few days off to get out in the country where the air and sunshine may do what medicine often cannot.

The Richmond Elks ball team will meet and play a match game with Martinez next Sunday, at which time many local fans will go along to root for the home team. It should be a very lively game, and doubtless will be. The local Bills will of course all attend early mass before leaving.

Police Sergeant Jennings, who was shot all to pieces by a negro some time ago, continues to improve and will soon be able to be out and around, although he will never be quite as good as new.

The Independent says the suit of the News Company against the Richmond daily papers and others is considered another effort on the part of the News to harass the other papers. Harass is good. As a joke the Independent is in a class by itself. Bro. Galvin ought to get a job as end man in a minstrel show—he would make a screaming hit.

This scribe, having partaken heartily of the big spread put up by the ladies of the Presbyterian church at the Chamber of Commerce luncheon, in Pythian Castle Hall, feels sort of foundered. Those nice ladies sure do know how to feed a man right, and it is said that the way to a man's heart is through his stomach. We don't want anything more to eat this month.

The bridge Club, which was to have met this afternoon at the E. H. Harlow residence, has postponed activities for two weeks.

H. W. Wernse has his gang of men hard at work now on the big dredging contract he has in the Cutting Canal section of town, and they are going to be a busy lot of workers for a long time, for the reason that it is a big job, involving some $80,000 worth of work. All this improves the harbor a great deal and fills in the low places, making new land and reclaiming much that had to be reclaimed before it could be used to build on, and it also furnishes a lot of work at good pay to those on the big job. Mr. Wernse deserves considerable credit for putting through a large contract like this, as it will be of material benefit to the whole city, and especially to the Point Richmond section.

The business men of Richmond are very poor advertisers, taking them as a whole and they ought to make more of a study of that very important branch of their business. Never in al our varied and wide experience have we seen a town the size and importance of Richmond where the buisiness men did so little advertising, and they certainly need some education along these lines. Many of them say they cannot afford it, when the facts are they cannot afford not to. No daily newspaper in Richmond could live at all if it had to depend upon its advertising. Their legal printing and job printing is what keeps them alive at all, and none of them are making a fair interest upon their investments as it is. This is a very poor showing, and not one which our business man have any right to be proud of. You better be giving this matter serious thought, gentlemen, for your own sakes.

The Chamber of Commerce is deserving of support from every individual on the townsite, and ought to have it. It is trying to do a good work for Richmond and should not be allowed to lag and languish for lack of support. It is the duty of every man, and should be a pleasure to give aid and encouragement to Secretary Long and put some heart in him, so he can achieve good results.

J. C. Leber, street car conductor and secretary of the county Central Labor Council, Fred Heckman, business agent for all the Richmond Unions, and a number of others, are stirring up the collections of 25 cents per union member, for the purpose of paying Matson's fine, and are meeting with fairly good success. No union man should hesitate a minute over this. Whether the young man made a mistake or not, he did it in a cause which he believed was right, and which union labor was behind at the time, and he should not be left to suffer alone and singly for what he was no more to blame for than others. To allow him to go to jail for that mistake would be a blot upon union labor which it could not afford to have made. And they are not going to allow it.

The class of ladies which meets every Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock in the parlors of the Presbyterian Church for an hour's study of the Bible is increasing in members each week. Rev. Sanborn makes the lessons both instructive and interesting. All ladies are invited to join the class and pass an hour in pleasant discourse.

Bids have been called for, for the paving and improving of San Pablo avenue, and that thoroughfare will soon be fair to travel over.

The Richmond Club held a pie-baking contest a few days since and the prize winners were Mesdames Smith, Zimmerman and Gibson. And we did not get a smell of the pie, either, and will bet a whole lot that it was mighty good. How could it be otherwise, with such makers?

W. H. Benton, grocer, is out an automobile. Somebody made away with it a few days ago while he was at Alameda.

Let us hope there will be no more circuses along this year. They take too much money out of town.

Attorney C. A. Odell is moving his office and home from Richmond to Oakland this week. He is one of the oldest attorneys of Richmond and has many friends who will regret his departure. He had an offer in Oakland which was too good financially to pass up.

T. S. Handley and wife leave tomorrow by motor for northern Mexico, to see the country. Friends from Crockett are to accompany them. Seems to us that right now is a mighty good time to keep away from Mexico, and the farther away the better.

Dr. Blake says to do your fly swatting early—also late.

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A gold finger ring has been found on the floor here in the News office, and anybody who has lost it can have it by calling and proving the property.

Local parties out in the suburbs have been greatly discommoded by the recent law compelling all who sold milk to pasteurize it. A machine to do this costs about $300 and so the fellow with a few cows has been put out of the milk business, and the neighbors whom he supplied now have to come to town to get milk.

Extensive improvements are being made at Klement's Big Store, 635 Macdonald avenue. A modern cash carrier system is being installed and a large amount of new shelf room is being added.

Dropping into the printerie of Kennon & Jinks a day or so ago, and having left our smoking tobacco at the shop, tried to borrow a pinch, to smoke while visiting and neither one of those geeks had any. And furthermore, they informed us that neither one of them used tobacco in any form, neither drank any kind of liquors whatever, and neither ate meat at all. Now, what 'dye know about that? No doubt those chaps are sprouting pinfeathers on their shoulder blades, but they are certainly too good to be true. There's something wrong. How can a man be a printer and not drink, smoke, chew or eat meat? We respectfully represent that "there hain't no sich animal?"

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Time table effective January 3rd, 1916. Subject to change without notice.

Leave Richmond	Train No.	West Bound—Toward San Francisco	Arrive San Fran.
6:27 A.M.	No. 13	From Portland and North	7:30 A.M.
6:55 A.M.	No. 23	From Tonopah	7:50 A.M.
7:08 A.M.	No. 87	From Bakersfield and Martinez	8:10 A.M.
8:13 A.M.	No. 41	From Livermore and Vallejo	9:10 A.M.
8:28 A.M.	No. 19	Stops for passengers from east Ogden	9:30 A.M.
9:06 A.M.	No. 1	Stops for passengers ft. east Cheyenne	10:10 A.M.
9:16 A.M.	No. 81	From Tracy, Calistoga, Santa Rosa	10:10 A.M.
9:53 A.M.	No. 45	From Sacramento	10:50 A.M.
10:37 A.M.	No. 47	Stops for passengers, North, Davis	11:30 A.M.
11:48 A.M.	No. 15	Stops for Passengers from Portland	12:50 P.M.
12:10 P.M.	No. 49	From Los Angeles, Bakersfield, Martinez	1:10 P.M.
3:15 A.M.	No. 83	From Bakersfield, Martinez	4:10 P.M.
3:32 P.M.	No. 29	From Sacramento	4:30 P.M.
5:22 P.M.	No. 43	From San Ramon, Calistoga, Santa Rosa	6:30 A.M.
5:42 P.M.	No. 21	From Dunsmuir, Sacramento	6:30 P.M.
6:45 P.M.	No. 5	From Chicago	7:50 P.M.
7:35 P.M.	No. 37	From Sacramento	9:30 P.M.
8:28 P.M.	No. 59	From Portland and North	9:30 P.M.
9:45 P.M.	No. 209	From Colfax	10:40 P.M.
10:19 P.M.	No. 85	From Fresno, Newman, Martinez	11:20 P.M.

Leave San Fran.	Train No.	East Bound—From San Francisco	Arrive Richmond
11:40 P.M.	No. 86	For Bakersfield, Martinez	12:30 A.M.
11:40 P.M.	No. 54	For Seattle	12:35 A.M.
6:20 A.M.	No. 28	For Dunsmuir, Sacramento	7:06 A.M.
6:40 A.M.	No. 36	For Fresno, Martinez	7:28 A.M.
7:20 A.M.	No. 22	For Sacramento, Dunsmuir	8:08 A.M.
8:00 A.M.	No. 42	For Calistoga, Santa, San Ramon	8:45 A.M.
9:00 A.M.	No. 24	For Tonopah	9:51 A.M.
9:20 A.M.	No. 84	For Bakersfield, Martinez	10:07 A.M.
10:20 A.M.	No. 20	(Flag) Stops for points east of Ogden	11:09 A.M.
10:40 A.M.	No. 8	For Martinez, Los Angeles	11:28 A.M.
12:00 Noon	No. 30	For Sacramento, Marysville	12:48 P.M.
1:00 P.M.	No. 14	For Portland and North	1:49 P.M.
1:40 P.M.	No. 10	(Flag) Stops for points east of Ogden	2:31 P.M.
3:00 P.M.	No. 46	For Oroville, Sacramento	3:48 P.M.
4:00 P.M.	No. 2	(Flag) Stops for points east Cheyenne	4:46 P.M.
4:00 P.M.	No. 44	For Calistoga, Santa Rosa, Livermore	4:48 P.M.
4:20 P.M.	No. 50	For Bakersfield, Los Angeles	5:04 P.M.
5:00 P.M.	No. 48	For Sacramento, Oroville	5:48 P.M.
5:20 P.M.	No. 53	(Except Sunday) for Martinez, Tracy	6:09 P.M.
7:00 P.M.	No. 6	(Flag) For Chicago	7:53 P.M.
8:20 P.M.	No. 16	(Flag) For Portland and North	9:13 P.M.
6:00 P.M.	No. 100	(Sunday only) Martinez, Vallejo, Tracy	6:53 P.M.

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Monster Marin Flower Pageant

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San Anselmo at 8:30 p. m.

Saturday, May 20th.

Indoor Flower Show and Wild Flower Exhibit opens (San Rafael) 11 a. m.

Great Floral parade through streets of San Rafael, 11 a. m.

Cat Show opens at San Rafael at 11 a. m.

Finish of Automobile Rally Race at San Anselmo at 1:30 p. m.

Better Babies Contest, 2 p. m.

The Great Pageant of Modes in the Kent estate on the slopes of Mt. Tamalpais, within three minutes walk of R. R. State at Kentfield at 2:30 p. m.

Parade of Actors in Pageant accompanied by orchestra, dancers and two great chorals composed of 1000 adults and 500 children. Dances under direction of La Loi Fuller.

I

Pictures—Californian Indian Life. (This Group will be contributed by the Redmen)

II

Picture—Landing of Drake on shores of Marin county.

Triumphant reception of Drake at Court of Queen Elizabeth by Shakespear, Bacon, Raleigh, etc. (The Drake pictures will be contributed by the British American League of California.

III

Prologue—Choral of 1000 voices, males, cowled, bearing tapers and wearing sandals.

Pictures—Era of the Mission Fathers. (Contributed by Knights of Columbus, Y. M. I. and League of the Cross Cadets.)

IV

Picture of the Acadian Age of California under the Spanish and Mexican regime, the Spanish Wedding. (Contributed by Women's Club of Marin county)

V

Pictures of the Foreign invasion of California including the Russian, the Yankee and the Swiss from 1812 to 1839. (Contributed by the Native Sons and Daughters.

VI

Picture of Pioneer California during the Bear Flag Revolution. (Contributed by the people of Sonoma county.)

VII

Picture of the Golden Age of California. (Contributed by the Native Sons and Daughters and the Pioneer Society of California.

VIII

Picture from Civil War period to the fire.

IX

A Prophecy of California's destiny. (B) Prophecy of the future.

Great Amateur Street Fair on Fourth Street, San Rafael from 8 p. m. to 9 p. m.

Outdoor Costume Ball at 9:30 p. m.

Sunday, May 21st.

Flower Show opens at 11 a. m.

Baby Show, 2: p. m.

Musical Tournament at 2:30 p. m.

Great Military Tournament by Federal Troops, National Guard, Naval Militia and Artillery.

Prizes will be offered for the best houseboat decorations in the Lakspur region.

Prizes will be offered for the best floral decorations by individuals on buildings.

Prizes will likewise be offered for the best floral decorations about R. R. Stations and public highways.

The object of this celebration is to draw people to Marin county in order that they may see it under its most attractive conditions and be induced to buy or rent homes in some Marin county community.

One million people reside within 50 miles of San Rafael. Two million people live within 200 miles of San Rafael. Basing the calculation on known averages it is estimated a minimum of 30,000 people will visit the Marin Flower Pageant.

Athletic Program

May19—11 a. m.—Abbreviated Marathon race from Mill Valley to San Rafael (handicap); Six Prizes. Finish at Mt. Tamalpais Military Academy.

May 19—2:30 p. m.—Baseball at East Side Park, San Rafael.

May 19—3:30 p. m.—Football at Hitchcock Military Academy grounds.

May 19—8 p. m.—Aquatic Carnival at San Rafael Municipal Baths.

May 19 and 21—2 p. m.—Tennis Tournament on San Rafael courts.

May 20—10 a. m. Track Meet Kentfield track.

May 20—2:30 p. m. Base Ball East Side Park.

May 21—10:30 a. m.—Polo, East-side Park.

To this probably will be added [illegible]

FORD VS. TEDDY

In a recent issue of the Bulletin Goldberg displayed a cartoon ridiculing the idea of a successful mechanic or businessman being considered as a presidential possibility, entitled, "A Certain Man Makes Good Automobiles and Now They Want to Run Him for President."

We are not particularly enthusiastic about who they run for president, as we have passed through more than half a score of presidential campaigns and our purse still retains that same vacant melancholly attitude that has apparently become chronic.

Anyhow, "Henry" had sufficient "think stuff" to invent an excellent type of vehicle at an early stage of the game, and has established a commodious factory equipped with the most modern sanitary and safety devises, where his hired men are treated like fellow humans instead of like animated machines or profit producing animals, in the meantime earning a reputation for fair dealing with the public and with his employees, by allowing them a few slices of the "melon" when it is cut instead of "hogging" it all just because he was the big "It".

And he hasn't wasted any coin on strike-breakers to force his men to accept wages inadequate for their needs, nor whined like a whipped cur and asked for the militia to be sent in to shoot the boys when they bested him in an argument. He manages to do a pretty fair business without buying any judges or corrupting public officials and we never heard of a special train of Fords on junketing trips with Judges, or Senators, or Congressmen or fellows like that as guests.

But he did finance a peace ship and went over and told the fellows that they had all proved to the world that they were some scrappers, and asked them to call it a draw and try and get home in time to spend Christmas with the wife and kiddies.

He uses lots of air in his tires but he hasn't used much in making speeches about every old thing, and never called anyone an "Undesirable Citizen," at least not before the Judge had a chance to express his opinion, and never yowls around every opportunity and call everybody in sight or hearing "Another." A few well chosen words of his would be quite valuable, on a check, yet he never was paid $1 per word for magazine articles that should never have been written. No doubt he enjoys Making money as well as anyone, yet he never contemplated converting the Ford plant into a munition factory, and he would rather see the metal output manufactured into Elizabeths rather than into expensive armir plate and sech-like.

We are not prepared to say he would make the best president that could be selected in this entire nation, but anyhow he wouldn't tell we had "no blood in our veins" just because we preferred to putter around home and pay grocery bills, lodge dues and taxes, instead of going out and shooting some fellows we never saw, and who never called us "A Liar" or anything like that, just because the Captain said 'Ready Aim, Fire!"

And he might decide to send Willie Hearst down to Mexico o capture a fellow named Villa all by his own self, and if he sent him it wold be a great lot of honor for Willie and considerable satisfaction to a number of us who do not pay taxes in Mexico, and perhaps he could find some sort of position for Teddy down on the Peninsula or in New Jersey or some place where there are lots of mosquitos berause those little cusses just dote on having "Red Blood in their veins" and will put up an awful fight to obtain it.

But he might decide to establish a home industry and manufacture all we need here in the United States of America and that would employ lots of idle men. And we wouldn't need to worry about the European supply or get into any trouble over it, or send the Army and Navy over there and have them all mussed up.

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